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### PROF. ADAMI GIVES BOOST

In Montreal Daily  
Star for Colum-  
bia Valley

Prof. Adami, who, with his wife and family, spent the past two summers in this district and who has purchased land on the shore of Windermere lake on which to build a permanent summer home, has returned to his home in Montreal. The Daily Star, under the heading "A New Valley of Natural and Other Wonders in Canadian Rockies Explored", has this to say of an interview with the professor:

Professor J. G. Adami, of McGill College, has recently returned from British Columbia. He came back greatly impressed by the beauty and natural advantages of a valley, which is as yet little known, which, nevertheless, he considers not only the most beautiful valley in Canada, but one destined to be, in the near future, a fruit-growing region having advantages even greater than the Okanagan. This is the valley of the upper Columbia river, running between the Rocky Mountains and the Selkirk, and stretching from Golden, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific, to Fort Steele.

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